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MRS. BORNEMANN SUES ESTATE TO RECOVER DOWER

Charges That She Was Induced to Sign Agreement by Trickery.

Says It Was Changed After Being Signed.

LIFE INSURANCE IS INVOLVED

On the grounds that the ante-nuptial agreement had been altered and changed without her knowledge or consent, Mrs. Jane Tyler Bornemann, widow of the late William Bornemann, filed suit in circuit court against Oscar Hank, administrator of the estate; James P. Smith, mayor of Paducah board of directors of Riverside hospital, the board of directors of the Home of the Friendless, and George Bartel and Frieda Schmidt, of Germany. In the suit it is alleged by Mrs. Bornemann that the ante-nuptial agreement was changed to deprive her of her dower in the estate, and that Mr. Bornemann misrepresented the value of his estate to her, saying that his insurance policies were involved in litigation, and that the value was problematic.

In his will Mr. Bornemann left \$3,000 to the city for fountains, \$2,500 to Riverside hospital, and \$2,500 to the Home of the Friendless, and to his wife he left \$1,200 for five years, the remainder of his estate he left to George Bartel and Frieda Schmidt, relatives in Germany. Mrs. Bornemann states that they were married in Owensboro September 4, 1907, and that he left an estate valued at about \$50,000, or \$90,000 with debts amounting to about \$20,000.

She alleges that her husband insisted on an ante-nuptial agreement, but that she had no business experience and did not understand the import of the agreement. The agreement was drawn up in Paducah and she states that Mr. Bornemann wanted to take his attorney to Owensboro, but she objected on the point that there was competent counsel in Owensboro. At last Mr. Bornemann consented to her attorney in Owensboro, and according to the story he told her the attorney had advised him that it was all right. Now Mrs. Bornemann says that it has developed that her husband did not consult an attorney in Owensboro. She contends that she did not have any explanation of the marital rights she would be forced to surrender when she signed the contract.

It is recited that the contract he desired her to sign contained a blank space between "terms of" and "years," and written above the space was "for her life," so as to make the sentence read: "out of the estate that he may leave at the time of his death of an annuity of the sum of \$1,200 per year, payable quarterly, for the term of her life."

It is claimed that Oscar Hank, who was appointed administrator of the estate, has filed a paper in the county clerk's office purporting to be the ante-nuptial agreement, but she declares that it was altered by her husband without her knowledge or consent. The ceremony was performed two hours after she signed the contract, and she says that she had no opportunity to ascertain the true meaning of the agreement, but that she relied upon the trust and implicit she had in her husband to protect her interests.

The true contract, she says, is in the hands of J. D. Moequet, attorney for her husband, and she asks that it be produced in court.

Demurrers Sustained

The demurrer filed in the case of Lee Walters and others against the Planters' Protective association, was sustained partially this morning by Circuit Judge Reed. Felix Ewing and other officials of the association were held as defendants, but Judge Reed excused C. O. Brown and Judge Reed.

Mott Ayers is Sued by His Wife for Divorce in a Sensational Petition Filed in Fulton Co. Circuit Court

Chairman Prewitt Loses Control of State Central Committee—Court of Appeals Decision.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., March 24.—(Special.)—Mary Coleman Ayers, wife of Mott Ayers, sued her husband for divorce and alimony, asking custody of their child. The petition was not made public, but is known to contain sensational charges.

Assessing Franchises.
Frankfort, Ky., March 24.—(Special.)—The appellate court, in affirming the cases of the auditor against a number of surety companies, holds that the franchise valuation must be reached by the state board in assessing corporations by considering the gross earnings and net income. It holds the law does not provide alternative methods in fixing the value of franchises, but assessments must be made under the act of 1905.

Prewitt Loses Control.
Lexington, Ky., March 24.—(Special.)—Chairman Prewitt, of the Democratic state central committee, was forced to call the committee meeting at Lexington by a majority of the committee, who threaten to issue a majority amended call unless Prewitt at once issues another, including all the matters of contest. Prewitt has lost control.

Crittenden Cases.
Marion, Ky., March 24.—(Special.)—Judge Gordon has refused continuance of the night rider cases here and the commonwealth has elected to try four men. One hundred witnesses were called. Sanford Hall, Henry Bennett and Sam Stevens are the star witnesses for the state and are on hand under heavy guard. The trials began today.

Roosevelt Heard From

Siasconett, Mass., March 24.—A wireless from Hamburg says Roosevelt arose early this morning and exorcised with Kermit in the gymnasium. He breakfasted at the captain's table. He inspected the engine rooms later and is well pleased with his accommodations.

Siasconett, Mass., March 24.—(By wireless.)—Today at noon 330 miles east of Ambrose channel light ship, slightly rolling seas sent most of the passengers to their cabins. Roosevelt and Kermit were unaffected. They spent most of the morning promenading on deck, fraternizing freely with their fellow passengers who were able to be their feet. They declare they are having a "bully" time. They are popular with the officers.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL OFFICIALS WILL MEET PADUCAH BUSINESS MEN HERE TONIGHT

In order to get into close touch with the business men of the city, the officials of the Illinois Central railroad will be in Paducah tonight, and will hold a reception at their car, which will be at Eleventh street and Broadway. In the party will be: F. B. Harriman, manager; I. G. Rawn, vice president; A. H. Egan, Superintendent of the Louisville division; H. R. Safford, chief engineer, and G. H. Grace, superintendent of the tele-

WEATHER.



Showers and local thunder storms tonight with warmer in the east portion. Thursday showers followed by clearing and colder. Highest temperature yesterday, 60; lowest today, 49. Rainfall .85 of an inch.

TORNADO'S WORK.

Dallas, Tex., March 24.—J. D. Welch, wife and five children, and an unknown farm hand, were burned to death in the ruins of their tornado wrecked home at midnight near Slick. Forty houses in Slick were demolished. The bank building alone is unharmed. Heavy damage is reported at Oliver.

STORM IN KANSAS.

Topeka, Kan., March 24.—The wind blew a string of freight cars off the track at Brewster and considerable damage is reported. None was hurt.

His Father is Ill

Mr. Grider Thornberry, of the circulation department of The Sun, received word this morning announcing that his father, Mr. W. W. Thornberry, of Clarion, Okla., is very low with stomach trouble and is not expected to live. Mr. Thornberry will leave tonight at 6 o'clock for Clarion, Mr. W. W. Thornberry was formerly of Hinkleville, Ballard county, but for the last 15 years has lived in Oklahoma.

New Rules Bother House.

Washington, March 24.—The working of the new Fitzgerald rules of the house came near stopping up consideration of the tariff bill today and gave the speaker an anxious fifteen minutes. Payne moved that the house become a committee of the whole. Gardner, one of the insurgent leaders, called the chair's attention that this being calendar Wednesday, it would take a two-thirds vote to consider the bill. The rule book was resorted to.

Taft Wins Curry

Santa Fe, N. M., March 24.—Gov. Curry, in response to a telegram from Washington, today telegraphed President Taft withdrawing his resignation as governor.

Santa Fe, N. M., March 24.—Gov. Curry refused to make public the telegram he received from President Taft saying publicly must come from the white house if at all. It is known, however, that the message contained an expression of President Taft's confidence in Gov. Curry, and requested the governor to reconsider his resignation.

"I withdrew my resignation because President Taft desired me to remain," said Gov. Curry this afternoon, "and because of the hundreds of telegrams received from my friends throughout the territory, urging me to reconsider my resignation."

Illinois Deadlock

Springfield, Ill., March 24.—The forty-ninth ballot was taken and the deadlock continues. Hopkins 75, Stringer 23, Shurtleff 18. The rest scattered. The fiftieth ballot was the same, with Stringer 51. Governor Deneen sent for his friends of both houses this morning and informed them that under no circumstances must they vote for him. He reiterated the opinion that Hopkins is entitled to the place.

Chicago Market.

	May	High	Low	Close
Wheat	1.18 1/2	1.18 1/2	1.16 1/2	1.17 1/2
Corn	.67 1/2	.67 1/2	.66 1/2	.66 1/2
Oats	.54 1/2	.54 1/2	.54 1/2	.54 1/2
Prov.	17.77	17.67	17.67	17.67
Lard	10.22	10.15	10.15	10.15
Ribs	9.42	9.35	9.35	9.35

KIDNAPERS PROVE TO BE PEOPLE WHO LIVED AT SHERON

Relative of Man Identifies Him in Jail at Cleveland, Ohio.

Billy Whitla and Father Go to Look at Them.

CHILD TELLS OF HIS HIDES

Cleveland, O., March 24.—The Whitla party arrived here at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

The police this afternoon say Boyle is a Sharon plumber and the woman calling herself Mrs. Falkner is his wife. John Boyle, a distant relative, identified them. Billy identified photographs of the man and woman when he stepped off the train.

Their Names.
Cleveland, March 24.—The names J. H. Boyle and Helen Falkner were given to the police this morning by the man and woman detained last night in connection with the kidnapping of Billy Whitla. Mrs. Whitla's name before her marriage was Forkner. The police say there is no evidence connecting the crime with Mrs. Whitla's relatives. Police are positive they have either the kidnapers or important confederates. They are waiting for Billy and his father's arrival this afternoon to make the identification. According to descriptions over the phone the couple are connected with the crime.

Seeking Accomplices.

Cleveland, March 24.—Police are seeking the accomplices of the kidnapers of Sharon. They are positive more help was necessary to commit the crime. Billy Whitla is guarded closely by Sharon authorities. Money was found on the woman tied with a pink tape with the imprint, "Lawrence Saratoga." Whitla said today the ransom money was tied this way. "Looks like these were the people," said Whitla. "You bet your life I will prosecute."

Billy's father and Uncle Frank H. Buhl and Chief of Police Crain left at 11 o'clock today on the Erie for Cleveland to identify the suspects. The most conclusive evidence found by the police was a jar of chloroform and drugged candy in the suite occupied by J. H. Boyle and Helen Falkner.

Caught in Cleveland.

The man and a woman were arrested last night suspected of being the kidnapers of Willie Whitla, and the woman, acting as spokesman for the pair, declared that she had planned the whole thing. Word from Sharon, Pa., is to the effect that place and her arrest has caused a great sensation there. The man seemed to have little or nothing to say.

Captain Shattuck and Detective Ward, of the local force were attracted by the movements of the pair and approached them with a view to learning their identity.

"What's your hurry?" asked the captain.

The man who was carrying a satchel, dropped his precious burden and started to run, but was caught by Shattuck.

When the police searched the satchel they found \$9,845.50 in currency.

To the police they explained they were on their way to the Baltimore and Ohio depot, but they declined to reveal their identity or their destination.

Part of the money was found in a satchel carried by the man and upon being searched at the police station more of the money in currency form was found secreted in the skirt of the woman.

Woman's Startling Statement.

When placed in custody at the police station, the woman said: "I am the one who planned the whole thing. There will be trouble for me and hell in Sharon tomorrow." All of the money but \$40 was bound in packages with the original slips, placed on the money when Whitla took it from the bank, still around it. The woman says she spent fifteen years of her life in a convent in Pennsylvania, but denies that she has ever been in trouble before.

Both the man and the woman deny they know the name of each other.

Captain Shattuck secured a description of the kidnapers from Willie Whitla, and this description led to the arrest.

The detectives heard that a man and woman answering the description of the kidnapers had been seen on the outskirts of the city. They came down town and bought numerous articles of clothing, tendering \$5 and \$10 bills in payment. It was learned. Later the report came that the people had left a package in a downtown store which appeared to consist of discarded clothing.

Telephone Operator is Dead From Dose of Morphine, Swallowed Some Time Last Night at Boarding House

Emma Martin Was Found This Morning by Her Roommate Unconscious, and She Was Not Revived.

Emma Martin, 23 years old, an operator for the East Tennessee Telephone company, was found dying from a dose of morphine at her boarding house, 1090 South Fourth street, this morning. Drs. J. D. Robertson and J. W. Bass, who were called out 7 o'clock, worked with her until noon, but were unable to arouse her from her stupor. She died shortly after noon. It is believed she took the dose about 10 o'clock last night. Her family, who reside at Kevil, are at her bedside, but they refuse to give out any information. It is said a note was found, addressed to her mother.

Four telephone girls room there, and Miss Alice Starks, her roommate, discovered Miss Martin's condition when she was called this morning at 6:30. She observed a peculiar noise made by the girl, and investigation revealed the fact that Miss Martin was unconscious.

It was stated at the office of the East Tennessee Telephone company that Miss Martin had been ill since Saturday and had not been to work.

The funeral of Miss Martin will be held tomorrow at Woodville. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin and the following brothers and sisters: John, James, Vasco and Homer, and Miss Jessie Martin.

The inquest is being held this afternoon.

Injuries Cause His Death.

Clinton, Ky., March 24.—P. Q. Baxter, formerly of Bardwell, Ky., was injured while trying to break an unruly horse at Charleston, Mo., and blood poison developed, causing his death Wednesday.

Federal Court.

A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed yesterday afternoon by Frank P. Davis, an Illinois Central freight conductor, of Fulton. Liabilities \$252, assets \$65.

John H. Kennedy, a farmer of Graves county, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy yesterday afternoon. Liabilities \$772.80. No assets.

MUCH POLITICS IN DISCUSSION BY COMMITTEES

The joint finance and ordinance committees will recommend to the general council that the mayor be authorized to appoint a license inspector at \$50 the month to serve until the controversy over the office between Robert Hicks and Ed Hubbard is settled. Considerable politics was injected into the discussion last night, until Alderman Hank insisted that this is a matter which vitally affects the city's welfare, and the city is losing thousands of dollars by reason of the fact that there is no one to enforce the collection of licenses.

Alderman Durrett then moved that the mayor be authorized to appoint some one, other than Ed Hubbard, to appoint whomsoever he pleases. Aldermen Stewart, Oehlschlaeger, Sherrill and Hank and Councilmen Lally and Van Meter supporting it, and Aldermen Durrett and Lackey and Councilmen Kreutzer, Wilson and Hannin opposing.

The detectives trailed the couple around the business district several hours during the afternoon, but delayed taking them into custody.

Shortly after midnight the police learned that the two had gone to the east end of the city. The police walked up behind the pair and Shattuck took the woman by the arm. Wood secured the man. The couple staggered, the police say, as if intoxicated. The man would not talk, but the woman chatted with the policemen and admitted that she had planned the kidnapping.

Billy's Story.

Sharon, Pa., March 24.—Billy Whitla told the complete story of his adventures and drive to Warren. He said before entering the town Jones removed his false mustache and put on a stiff one. While he went to the barber shop Billy hid in the lumber yard. Jones bought two funny picture books. Jones swore when he missed the Cleveland car.

MINORITY SPEECH OF CHAMP CLARK ON THIS MORNING

Says the Minority Will Not Obstruct But Demands Chance to Amend.

Payne Was Careful Not to Offend Anyone.

HATCHER TIP IS CALLED IN

Washington, March 24.—Champ Clark led off in the tariff debate for the minority today. He said: "The minority has no desire to waste time, but wants a thorough consideration with a chance to amend wherever it thinks it can be improved. The majority of the witnesses before the ways and means committee wanted to increase Dingley rates or hold them in status quo. Few manufacturers asked for a reduction of rates."

The Tariff Bill.

Washington, March 24.—With the Payne tariff bill but two days old, the house Republican leaders are totaling their certain support, to see what chance there is for jamming it through the house without delay or amendment. Mr. Payne hopes to see it a law by June.

Vote on Bill as Whole.

If the leaders are assured of sufficient votes, they will bring out a special rule Tuesday or Wednesday of next week, cutting off debate and limiting amendments practically to those presented by members of the majority of the ways and means committee. There will be a provision in the rule for voting for the paragraphs in groups, and it may go still further and provide for but a single vote on the entire bill. This will be to cut off yea and nay votes on each paragraph.

Chairman Payne has carefully laid his plans toward some such movement. He had the bill read in full the day of its presentation to the house to escape criticism for jamming through a measure practically unread. He has avoided all questions tending to put him on record as consenting to consideration of the bill paragraph by paragraph with a view to its amendment.

In closing a nine-hour speech on the bill he said that he believed the bill could not be improved on, and he hoped for its speedy passage.

Covered Wide Field.

Turning on his Republican colleagues, he announced that the country demanded the immediate passage of the bill; that the wheels of industry were stifled because of the proposed change in the revenue laws; that labor was idle and all classes indurously affected. These insistently demanded, he said, that the bill be enacted into law at the earliest possible moment.

The majority leader began his speech in no particularly good frame of mind, but as the day wore on he exhibited the best of humor. He closed amid the plaudits of the Republicans, who crowded about him and extended their congratulations.

His arguments covered a wide field. He took the position that the bill would not injure tin plate or steel file industries of the United States, and that free hides would not be a menace to the farmers. He discussed the inheritance tax at great length and said it was preferable to an income tax because it would not give rise to perjury or fraud. He held to the view also that an income tax was wholly unconstitutional.

Champ Clark's View.

Champ Clark, Democratic leader, in opening his speech on the bill, said that no Democrat desired to delay the passage of the bill unnecessarily. But the Democrats will insist upon consideration of the bill, paragraph by paragraph, and open amendments. Through this means they hope to get their tariff views before the country. They do not expect much success in amending the bill.

There is doubt that Payne can get united Republican support on any move to restrict consideration of the bill. There is too much dissatisfaction with the cuts made by the bill. Every section is coming forward with a protest. The hardest fight is to be made over the lumber and hide schedule. Part of the south wants protected hides.

Mr. Payne faces the danger of combinations among the disaffected. While such combinations may not succeed in injuring the tariff schedule, they are almost certain to defeat any attempt to shut off debate and the possibility of amendment.

Urbane to Questioners.
The house rules insurgents hold their ranks intact for offensive movement against all Cannon new-made.

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Report Which Was Thrown Away
Eagerly Plucked Out of Waste
Basket.

Washington, March 24.—Members of congress who have carefully read the report of former President Roosevelt's home commission—and it is a clutch that all of them have, in view of the much-advertised salubrity of the work—have discovered that it contains a nice, gingery

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The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package of Patison Sage and Gilbert's drug store, who is the agent in Paducah, will sell you a large bottle for 50 cents on the money back plan, or you can get it direct, all charges prepaid, from the American makers, the Gironx Mfg. Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Women who desire beautiful, lustrous and soft, fluffy hair in a week's time should use Patison Sage.

It gives life and beauty to any person's hair, and is a most delightful and daintily perfumed hair dressing, and is not sticky or greasy.

Place slap at the house—a sort of farwell stinger from the late occupant of the white house.

About the eleventh hundred and seventy-seventh message from President Roosevelt transmitted the report of a "home commission" to congress. Communications from the president were so much of a daily diet that nobody paid any attention to this particular message and report. Who cared about "homes" when there was a nice scrap on about the secret service? So the message and report were printed, distributed and, it seems, most of them were consigned to the waste basket without even a glance by a majority of the busy legislators.

Some eagle-eyed statesman, however, happened to open the "homes" report one day and found it told more picturesque tales about human vice and devilishness than he had ever found collected in one volume. That statesman read all the naughty parts, and the next day in the senate rushed out and found copies that later raised their voices on the floor of both houses and said, "Naughty! Naughty!"

Now the home commission is a report of 381 pages. Most of the members only hastily read the Ellnor Glyn parts and skipped the rest. It remained for "Jim" Tawney, chairman of the appropriations committee, to dig a little deeper. He found a perfect mine of information on what to eat, what to wear, where to live, how to live, what's naughty and what's good, and has been edifying his colleagues with the result of his researches ever since.

Among the bits of wisdom discovered by Tawney are the following: "Skimmed milk is the residue after the cream has been removed." "Butter is formed by churning the cream of milk."

"Boots and shoes are intended to

protect the feet from the uneven and rough surfaces of the ground, from cold, wet and heat."

"It is a good plan to use night-shirts and pajamas." Speaking of dreams the "homes" report says: "Practical experience also teaches us that a dreamless sleep is in every way recuperative, while a dreamful night produces a tired feeling in the morning; hence dreams should be avoided, if possible."

"Clothing," the report also informs us, "must be adapted to climate and seasons."

All of which is, as Representative Mann aptly expressed it in the house, after Tawney had read a few of the above: "Interesting, if true."

But apart from the universal encyclopedic character of the book, aside from its hints on how to wash the baby and how many slices of bread should be eaten at each meal, why children leave home, where not to borrow money, the number of

OVERWORKED.

Boston Trained Nurse Seeing the
Good Vinol Did Her Patients, Tried
It Herself With Splendid Results.

"I was completely prostrated from overwork. I had no appetite, could not sleep, my kidneys, liver and bowels became inactive, and as I grew weaker I could not retain either medicine or food on my stomach and raised blood. The doctors said my condition was critical."

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MODEL SCHOOL

WILL BE WESTERN NORMAL AT
BOWLING GREEN.

Superintendent Crabbe Tells Plans
on His Return From Visit.

Frankfort, Ky., March 24.—One great building, to contain all of the apartments necessary for the most modern style of normal schools, is planned by the board of regents of the Western Normal school at Bowling Green as a result of the visit of the committee to the various normal schools of contiguous states. Superintendent J. G. Crabbe has returned from this junket and is greatly pleased at the results of the committee's inspection of the different institutions.

"We plan to take the old Potter college building, remodel it thoroughly and add to it to obtain the additional rooms and space required," said Professor Crabbe. "We plan to have one great building, which will contain all of the class rooms, the auditorium and in fact every apartment necessary to carry on the work in the most complete style. The model which will be followed to a considerable degree is the normal institution at Dekalb, Ind., which is one large structure, with everything under one roof. The regents will have a meeting with the architects and our plans will be outlined. We think that the western school will be made the model normal school building of the south."

Grip and Chronic Bronchitis Cured

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Geisler, of 3434 A Street, Philadelphia, Pa., have just celebrated their golden wedding. Mr. Geisler has been cured of chronic bronchitis, Mrs. Geisler of grip and indigestion by Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey.

Mr. Geisler, like thousands of others who have been cured by Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, is glad to tell of it, so that others who are sick may know of this great medicine.

Mr. Geisler writes: "I had a very bad case of chronic bronchitis. After trying other remedies was cured by Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. My wife had grip and indigestion and is being rapidly restored to health by Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. We can see a daily improvement in her. We have been married over fifty years. I send you this testimonial with pleasure as I wish others to be benefited by Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey as we have been. I heartily endorse it as a tonic-stimulant."

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MR. CHRISTIAN GEISLER.

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FUNNY HATS ARRIVE TO

CHEER PADUCAH WOMEN.

An express car loaded with hats, the kind that resemble coal buckets and paper baskets, was unloaded in Paducah this morning, which was proof that the women of the city will not be without the latest headgear.

The hats, while not as large as last season's styles, were sufficient in size to make about a dozen hats fill a truck. The express companies have been busy several days delivering the hats to the milliners.

A man goes back to his best friends when he kicks himself.

GARNER BROS.' SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT

House-Cleaning Time

At house-cleaning time there are always some articles of furniture to be discarded and new ones purchased. The new things should be bought where they can be bought to the best advantage—and for this reason we want the chance to serve you—for we are confident we can serve you best. Just give us the chance to demonstrate that we can. :: :: :: :: :: :: :: ::



You have never seen a more perfect pattern in a Dresser in colonial design, finished dull. Base is roomy and contains ample room for clothing. The extra large French bevel mirror is supported by shapely frame and standards. We are showing a number of designs at prices from \$5.00 up.



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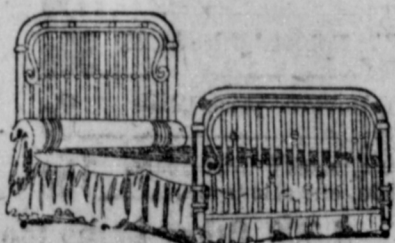
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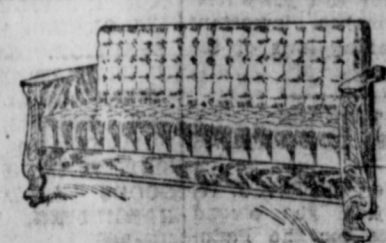
Rocking Chairs, the substantial kind in oak and mahogany. A beautiful new line just opened for your inspection, at prices as low as \$1.00 and higher if you are looking for that kind.



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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24.

CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

February, 1909.

1.....5191	15.....5296
2.....5197	16.....5298
3.....5196	17.....5300
4.....5203	18.....5289
5.....5216	19.....5293
6.....5325	20.....5299
7.....5402	21.....5304
8.....5394	22.....5272
9.....5366	23.....5306
10.....5365	24.....5324
11.....5299	25.....5336
12.....5298	26.....5341
13.....5298	27.....5341

Total 127,114

Average for February, 1909.....5297

Average for February, 1908.....3875

Increase 1,422

Personally appeared before me this March 1, 1909, R. D. MacMillen, business manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of February, 1909, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief. My commission expires February 16, 1912.

W. F. PAXTON,
Notary Public, McCracken Co.

Daily Thought.
The railways between Singapore and Penang, just completed, opens up an enormous rubber country.

No matter how Director of Telegraph Simyan spells his name the Paris strikers seem to have made a monkey of him.

Since Ed Franks' term as collector of internal revenue for the Second district of Kentucky does not expire for a year, neither Mr. Reno's nor anybody's else appointment is likely to be officially promulgated for some time.

CRITICIZING THE JURY.

The verdict of the jury in the Cooper case brings to a surprising conclusion a trial with no lack of surprising features. By what mental process it was reached, is not the least interesting of the questions which have confronted the lay mind throughout the somewhat grotesque performance that has characterized a trial in which what are alleged to be the best legal minds in Tennessee have been engaged. If Robin Cooper's testimony is to be believed, it is difficult to see how a verdict of acquittal could have been withheld. If the jury was convinced of the truth of the state's argument, that Senator Carmack was the victim of assassination, shot from the rear by Robin Cooper while his attention was engaged by Col. Cooper, whom he was facing, a death sentence would appear to have been the only logical finding. That a compromise could be reached when the issues at conflict were so clearly defined seems altogether improbable. —Louisville Times.

Apparently, the esteemed Louisville Times forgets, as we so often do in criticizing juries, that the jurors were not sitting as referees at a joint debate between the prosecution and defense, but as a sworn body to decide on the facts in the case and the punishment, regardless of the theories of the prosecution and defense. Unquestionably, the jury decided that the theories of the prosecution, a defense both were wrong. We certainly did not read the testimony.

THE SEED AND THE SOIL.

James J. Hill is counted a close student of American conditions. He counts restoring fertility to the soil a far more important question than tariff, banking, trusts, or any other of the topics that find frequent discussion. He is an optimist as to population. He believes in the certainty of a greatly increased number of people in the United States within the coming half century.

"How are they to be fed?" he insists, is the pressing problem. Certainly not by following the present policy of the farmer who fails to study the relation of the seed to the soil. "You can no more take wheat from the soil continuously than you can take money out of a bank without making deposits." That is a good illustration, easily understood.

The present average yield of wheat to the acre in the United States is 19.88 bushels. In England it is 30 bushels, in Denmark, 38; in the Netherlands, 34; and in Germany, 27. Yet in none of these countries are soil and climatic conditions more favor-

able for raising wheat than in the greater part of the United States. The trouble is that there is inexcusable carelessness in agriculture and a blindness to best interests that is astonishing.

Such utterances from one who makes it his business to study the problems of agriculture ought to be sufficient to lead farmers to think and to act. Illinois agricultural experts are pushing measures looking toward the systematic study of soil conditions. The legislature should support them. The idea of trusting to luck is foolish. The thought of wearing out the land is uneconomic. The people have a plain duty to themselves. They have a duty to their children and their children's children. The needs of the soil must be studied. When those needs are learned prompt measures should be taken to supply them. —Exchange.

SOME STORIES AROUND TOWN

Checkers is a game that is not dead by any means, and there is a large number of business men who are great admirers of the game with its millions of different moves. Some of the business men are expert players, and it takes a player of experience to make a showing against them. In quite a few business offices the checker board has a place of honor, and when tired from a day's work the board is taken down and a game played with friends.

Aside from the regular players many club rooms are supplied with the boards and the black and white men are moved over the square checks on the board every night. Other games have come, including many later ones, but checkers is so firmly grounded that there is little possibility of ever driving the game from the hearts of his devotees.

Kentucky Kernels

A. S. Anderson mayor of Mayfield. Three families quarantined in Graves.

Moonshine still near Whitesburg raided.

No association "dumpers" indicted in Graves.

George Featherstone, grocer, assigns at Mayfield.

John Gaynor, of Owensboro, kills self at Evansville.

Byrd Saylor, Letcher county farmer, robbed of \$1,500.

Governor Willson will enforce anti-race track gambling law.

Charles Smith shoots Robert Stepp through heart at Louisville.

"Old Joe" distillery, near Lawrenceburg, burns. Loss \$125,000.

Albert Sloan arrested for burning Harvey Wheat's barn near Scottsville.

Roy Wilhoit, of Ashland, wishes to be secretary to legation at Switzerland.

Ed Franks endorses Lawson Reno for collector of internal revenue, district No. 2.

Miners at Stearns enjoined from using money to prevent strikebreakers going to work.

Mr. James W. Sevier left this morning for Paris, Tenn., on business.

PROTEST PERSIAN ATROCITIES.

England and Russia Send Joint Note to Shah About Troops' Acts.

Teheran, March 24.—A vigorously worded joint note has been presented to the government by the British and Russian ministers here, protesting against the atrocities committed by the troops of Rahm Khan in the neighborhood of Julfa, on the Russian frontier, a week ago, and demanding that the shah send immediate orders to stop such barbarous methods of warfare on defenseless villages.

AGREES TO BANK DEPOSIT BILL.

Nebraska House Accepts Measure in Accordance With Bryan's Views.

Lincoln, Neb., March 24.—The house concurred in the senate amendments to the bank deposit guarantee bill, which has the effect of passing it, and it now goes to the governor. It was one of the bills in which W. J. Bryan took a personal interest and has been a source of extended debate throughout the session of the legislature, now nearing a close. In addition to providing for the guaranteeing of deposits it makes important changes in the banking laws of the state.

PADUCAH CIRCUIT SENDS DELEGATES TO MEETING.

The presiding elder, the Rev. J. W. Blackard, D. D., held the second quarterly conference for the Paducah circuit at Lone Oak last Saturday, March 20, and the following report was made by the pastor and stewards: "The pastor has traveled more than 1,000 miles during the past three months and made 104 visits and received six into the church. He has collected for all purposes \$254.84, and the steward reported \$172.46 raised for the ministry." The church elected as delegates to the ensuing district conference the following: J. H. Childress, F. M. Kelley, J. T. Sherron, M. L. Jones, J. L. Walters, E. C. Coles, C. T. James, J. E. Ford, G. T. Moss, Charles Hopkins, A. J. Elliott and W. A. Middleton, and the following were elected alternates: E. Putrell, J. E. Breckenridge, William Jones, Q. H. Jones, W. J. Ware and W. W. Gardner. The next conference goes to Salem.

SPRING OPENING ATTRACTS CROWD

Broadway Stores Beautiful With Spring Finery.

Inclement Weather Did Not Prevent Women Inspecting Stocks Today.

MILLINERY AND DRESS GOODS.

Today is the first of the "Opening Days" and certainly the downtown stores present beautiful spring in their most attractive phase. Despite the inclemency of the weather, the stores were comfortably full of ladies, eager to catch their first glimpse of fashion's beauties.

Ogilvie & Company.

L. B. Ogilvie & company are holding their annual spring opening today and the big Daylight store certainly presents a scene of striking beauty. Mrs. A. C. Clark is also showing the choicest styles in spring and summer millinery, in her spacious parlors on the second floor. Loes were served, with a view.

J. A. Rudy & Sons.

Today is also the happy occasion of J. A. Rudy & Sons' twenty-fifth anniversary as well as their annual spring opening, and the rich interior decorations of their handsome store surely do honor to the day. In token of their esteem and congratulations, the clerks presented the firm with a beautiful floral design and many were the expressions of good will. Mrs. Girardey, on the second floor at Rudy's is also showing today for the first time the beautiful and artistic millinery which has been prepared for her patrons.

Mrs. Ferriman.

Mrs. F. M. Ferriman also entertained hundreds of Paducah ladies yesterday and today at her opening displays in the parlors at the Palmer House. The showing of new millinery and ready-to-wear garments was sumptuous in the extreme, and the opening of her new store is awaited with eagerness.

Miss Cobbs.

Miss Zula Cobbs is holding her spring opening today and tomorrow, and is enjoying her usual vogue with the ladies. Many fetching styles, from the fashion centers of Paris and New York are and arousing much enthusiasm.

Mrs. Mills.

Though Mrs. E. R. Mills has had her opening, generously attended, those who are downtown are again favoring her with interested inspection of her beautiful millinery and ready to wear department.

Mrs. Doup.

Mrs. A. Doup, 428 Broadway, is busy today with preparations for her opening tomorrow and tomorrow night, and the sight of a host of hand some conceits in spring and summer millinery is promised those attending.

Noah's Ark.

Mrs. C. N. Baker, at Noah's Ark, will also have her opening tomorrow and Friday, showing many beautiful pattern and street hats. To add interest, a \$10 hat will be given away.

Mrs. Sherrill.

Mrs. J. W. Sherrill, 312 Broadway, will probably not have her opening for a few days yet, but it is promised that the showing will be well worth waiting for. Meantime, a special preliminary display of unusual beauty has been arranged for tomorrow and Friday.

At Guthrie's.

And at the Guthrie store, though no formal opening is in progress, the beauties of spring merchandise hold full sway. Everywhere the light and dainty touch of spring is in evidence and preparations have been made for a business which has never before been equalled. Indeed, the Style Store is well worth seeing.

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MINORITY SPEECH

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rules, though they may not be in sympathy with many amendments to be offered. They are a thorn in the flesh of Mr. Payne, and the speaker. Mr. Payne is proceeding warily in the task of piloting his bill through the house. He is making no enemies by abrupt rejoinder. During his two-days' speech, he was urbanely personified and while he evaded some questions he kept his temper in control and bore with all interruptions most patiently.

Reduce Expense.
Washington, March 24.—That a determined effort will be made to reduce public expenditures to such an extent that governmental needs may be met by revenues derived from duties on imports, and without resorting to any of the special taxation schemes that have been suggested in connection with tariff revision, is indicated by a remark made by Senator Aldrich, chairman of the senate committee on finance.

During the noonday recess of the committee, Mr. Aldrich was asked to give his opinion of the plan erroneously accredited to President Taft to place a tax on dividends declared by corporations. Mr. Aldrich replied that he had not given thought to it and added that he would not concern himself with any of the various plans to raise revenues by special taxes until it could be ascertained how much revenue could be produced by levying duties on imports, and whether the running operations of the government could not be decreased so as to make special taxes unnecessary.

Great significance is attached to the remark made by Mr. Aldrich. It is asserted upon what is thought to be accurate information that a majority of the members of the finance committee regard with disfavor the proposed inheritance tax feature, the proposed income tax, levies upon dividends of corporations, tax on coffee and practically all forms of stamp taxes.

It is recognized that in the form in which the Payne bill was reported to the house from the ways and means committee, sufficient revenues to pay the running expenses of the government, at least upon the present basis of annual appropriations, cannot be collected from duties on imports alone. The inference drawn from Mr. Aldrich's expression, therefore, is that the revision of the tariff must be of an upward trend, and that the congress must curtail the tendency at each succeeding session of congress.

Democrats Sore.

Washington, March 24.—Feeling among the Democrats in the house was at fever heat as a result of the rebuke the Democratic caucus delivered personally to the 23 "bolters" who voted for the Fitzgerald amendment, to the rules of the house in opposition to minority leader Clark. Representative Kellher, of Massachusetts, of the recalcitrants, announced that henceforth he would not recognize Mr. Clark as his leader.

Taft's Friends Safe.

Washington, March 24.—(Special.)—Senator Bradley denies positively the report that Thatcher is to succeed Durelle as district attorney. The president has given Bradley to understand that Taft's friends in Kentucky must be taken care of.

In Minnesota Legislature.

St. Paul, Minn., March 24.—Representative John Zeich is having a bill prepared which will soon be introduced in the Minnesota house making kidnapping a capital offense.

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LIVE STOCK AND TOBACCO.

Louisville, Ky., March 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 24 head; for two days, 1,374. The market was very quiet, but little doing. Desirable butchers and good feeders steady. Others slow but about steady. Bulls steady. Canners and cutters slow. Milch cows unchanged. No heavy cattle on sale. We quote shipping steers, \$4.75@5.75; beef steers, \$3.00@5.40; fat heifers, \$3.00@5.25; fat cows, \$3.00@5.00; cutters, \$2.00@3.00; canners, \$1.00@2.00; bulls, \$2.00@

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4.00; feeders, \$3.00@5.00; stockers, \$2.25@4.50; choice milk cows, \$35@45; common to fair, \$15@25.

Calves—Receipts 94; for two days 220. The market ruled steady. Bulk of best, 6½@7c; medium, 4@6c; common, 2½@4c.

Hogs—Receipts, 361; for two days 2,712. The market was generally 5¢ to 15¢ higher on corn-fed hogs. Selected 160 pounds and up, \$7.00@7.05; 130 to 160 pounds, \$6.30; pigs ranged from \$5.00@5.65; roughs, \$5.50 down.

Hogs from doubtful sections are still under the ban; very hard to sell, and such hogs are changing hands very slowly at uneven discounts.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 405; for two days, 570. The market ruled steady. Bulk of the best lambs around 6½c. Some fancy higher. Two loads choice fed yearlings sold at \$6.25. Culls are selling at 3@5c; fat sheep, 4½c down. No demand for common, trashy stock.

St. Louis, March 24.—Cattle—Receipts 3,000, including 1,400 Texans; strong to 15¢ higher. Native best steers, \$3.50@7.15; stockers and feeders, \$3.50@7.50; cows and heifers, \$3.25@6.50; calves, \$5.25@7.50; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.70@6.40; cows and heifers, \$3.75@5.10. Hogs—Receipts 9,500; market steady. Pigs and lights, \$4.50@6.90; packers, \$6.55@6.95; butchers, \$6.75@7.00. Sheep—Receipts,

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2,000; market 10c to 15c higher. Native muttons, \$5.50@5.85; lambs, \$5.50@8.00.
Louisville Tobacco.
Louisville, March 24.—The Kentucky warehouse sold 2 hds. of burley at \$16.00 to \$17.50 and 18 hds. of dark at \$4.35 to \$5.50. The Pickett warehouse sold 38 hds. of dark at \$4.35 to \$10.

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Fine Dress Goods, Roberts' price \$1.00	50c	Topsy Hosiery, genuine 25c grade, our sale price	12c
Fine Dress Goods, Roberts' price 50c	25c	Topsy Hosiery, genuine 10c value, our sale price	6c
Fine Dress Goods, Roberts' price 25c	12c	Men's regular \$1.00 stiff bosom shirts, good brands, neat patterns, our sale price	25c
Fine Taffeta Silk, Roberts' price \$1.25	50c	Ladies fine \$3.00 Dress Shirts and Oxfords, our sale price	\$1.50
Fine Gingham, Roberts' price 12½c	8c	Men's fine \$3.00 Dress Shoes and Oxfords, sale price	\$1.50</



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THE LOCAL NEWS

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—Visit Page's short order restaurant, 123 South Second.
—Rubber stamps, seals, brass stenels, etc. at the Sun office.
—Ladies be sure and register at our opening tomorrow, March 25 and 26. We are going to give away a \$10 hat. Your own selection. The Noah's Ark Store.
—Luther League will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Miss Anna Schmaus, Broadway.
—The Baraca class of the Fountain Avenue Methodist church held a business meeting last night. A pennant will be ordered for the class room and class colors were adopted.
—Mrs. Dora Fox, 424 Kincaid street, is suffering severely, her fingers having been crushed by a falling window this morning.
—The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon in the pastor's study of the First Baptist church at 3 o'clock. Medical Temperance is the subject to be discussed. Mrs. Emma Byrd, superintendent.

RIVER NEWS

River Stages.		
Pittsburgh	3.3	0.5 fall
Cincinnati	17.6	1.0 fall
Louisville	8.3	0.6 fall
Evansville	22.7	3.3 fall
Mt. Vernon	25.3	3.1 fall
Mt. Carmel	20.5	0.5 fall
Nashville	11.1	0.9 fall
Chattanooga	9.0	0.2 fall
Plorence	23.3	3.6 fall
Johnsonville	43.2	0.7 fall
St. Louis	13.8	0.6 fall
Paducah	36.9	2.2 fall
Burnside	8.5	2.2 fall
Carthage	13.5	2.0 fall

River stage at 7 o'clock this morning 36.9, a fall of 2.2 since yesterday morning. Rainfall yesterday 1.0 of an inch. The Ohio at this place will continue falling.

ARRIVALS—City of Safford from Waterloo, Ala., and way landings this morning at 4 o'clock heavily loaded with freight for St. Louis. Royal from Golconda on time this morning, doing a fine freight and passenger business. H. W. Buttrick from Nashville and way landings this morning at 7:05 o'clock with 16 hogheads of tobacco and other freight, also a good passenger list. J. B. Richardson from Clarksville and way landings this morning at 6:40 o'clock with a large freight and passenger list for this city. The Richardson made a record run from Clarksville, making the trip in 12 hours and making 23 landings, loading and unloading freight. Harvest will be in late this afternoon from

Memphis with a tow of about 20 empty coal barges for the West Kentucky Coal company. She will go south with another big tow of coal the latter part of next week. Reapers from the mines at Caseyville this morning with a tow of coal for the West Kentucky Coal company. T. H. Davis from Joppa yesterday afternoon with a tow of empty barges. Dick Fowler from Cairo tonight at 9 o'clock. George Cowling from Metropolis this morning and this afternoon, doing a good business on both trips. Sam Clark from Cairo at 5 o'clock this morning with a big tow of empties for Louisville.

DEPARTURES—Dick Fowler for Cairo and way landings this morning at 8 o'clock with a number of passengers and a good freight list. George Cowling from Metropolis this morning at 11 o'clock and this afternoon at 4:30, doing a good business. City of Safford for St. Louis and way landings this morning at 5 o'clock with a big cargo of freight. J. B. Richardson for Nashville and way landings at noon, doing a large business. She will return next Sunday. Sam Clark for the upper Ohio this morning with empties. Royal for Golconda at 2 o'clock with a number of passengers and freight. H. W. Buttrick for Nashville at noon with a large cargo of freight and a number of passengers. She will return next Saturday afternoon. Clyde for Waterloo, Ala., tonight at 6 o'clock after receiving a large cargo of freight at the wharfbord today. She will return next Monday. T. H. Davis for Joppa this morning with a tow of ties.

Steamer Harth, which has been doing harbor work for the West Kentucky Coal company, damaged her wheel by striking the head of a barge and will be compelled to tie up for a few days for repairs. The Mary Anderson will do the harbor work while the Harth is being repaired.

Capt. Rennis Smith made the trip on the Dick Fowler to Cairo this morning and will return tonight.

NEWS OF COURTS

Police Court.
Breach of peace—Alfred Henley, fined \$10 upon confession. Mary Lee Davis and Tom Albritton, dismissed. Ida Taylor, fined \$10. Dismissed. Breach of ordinance—Mr. Morgan, fined \$10. Attempt at robbery—John Thompson, dismissed and given till 4 o'clock this afternoon to leave the city.

In Circuit Court.
George W. Walters, city treasurer, filed an amended petition for his suit for salary this morning. Mr. Walters claims that he qualified as city treasurer November 19 instead of November 21, as he stated in his suit.

Suits Filed.
J. B. Tubbs filed suit against his wife, Addie Tubbs, for divorce, alleging cruel treatment. The couple was married in Metropolis in 1905.

Deeds Filed.
Radford Stanley to Lula C. Gibson, property in the county, \$1 and other considerations.

Radford Stanley to Jerome Allen, property in the county, \$1,230.
R. G. Terrell and Ed C. Terrell to Archie Jordan, property in the Fountain park addition, \$1 and other considerations.

Lula Gibson to James M. Stanley, property in the county, \$1 and other considerations.

R. G. Terrell and E. C. Terrell to Mrs. Eva J. Washburn, property in the Fountain park addition, \$1 and other considerations.

Marriage Licenses.
G. E. Ruoff and Percie Barnett.

Suits Filed in County Court.
Sheriff John W. Ogilvie filed three suits in county court this morning against three druggists for failure to list for assessment their state license to sell liquor. DuBois & company, S. H. Winstead and Will Gilbert were the firms sued. The 20 per cent penalty is asked.

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IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Clover Leaf Entertained.
Several members of the Clover Leaf club entertained at the home of Mrs. Fred Merry, 513 South Fourth street, in honor of Miss Myrtle Griffin. A delightful evening was spent by all. Those present were: Miss Doele Ashby, Miss Leona Ashby, Miss Florence Gentry, Miss Mary Houston, Miss Mandy Dearman, Miss Bessie Peoples, Miss Myrtle Griffin, Miss Smith, Miss Moreland and Mrs. Sam C. Smith; Messrs. Richard Griffin, George Grimm, Tommie Horton, James McNabb, Duley Davis, Carl Fuller and Cappy Peoples.

Paducah Girl's Poem.
The "Kentucky Arbor Day and Bird Book," which has been distributed over the state by the department of education, contains a poem, written by Miss May Ellis, a teacher in the McKinley building. The subject of the poem is "Flowers of Eden." Mrs. Victor Voris prepared an article for the book, but she became ill before the completion and the book had gone to press before she recovered.

Matinee Musical Club.
The Matinee musical club is meeting in regular session this afternoon at the Woman's club house. The program which follows the business meeting, will feature "Indian Music and Negro Folk-Lore Songs." Mrs. James Wellie is the hostess for the afternoon.

Artistic Club Recital.
A delightful musical event was the Two-Plano Recital given by the Matinee Musical club last evening at the Woman's club house. It was the first of a series of three recitals to be featured by the club in coming weeks. A representative audience of music lovers were present last night and encores were forced from the performers by the enthusiastic applause accorded them.

The two piano numbers were artistically interpreted by Mrs. George B. Hart, Mrs. Frank Burns, Miss Newell, the Misses Puryear, Miss Dryfuss and Miss Lila Reed.
The vocalists were Mrs. George Kerr, of Metropolis, Mrs. James B. Wellie and Mrs. Lela Wade Lewis in solo, and Mrs. Lewis, Miss Dryfuss and Mr. Emmet Bagby in trio, and the selections were rendered with finish and charm.

Mrs. Kerr, who came up from Metropolis to assist the club, is a graduate of the Cincinnati College of Music, and has a voice of wonderful range and timbre.

Princeton Couple Marry Here Today.
The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Ruoff, 1117 Tennessee street, was the scene of a pretty wedding today at high noon when Miss Percy Bennett and Mr. G. E. Ruoff, both of Princeton, were married in the presence of a limited number of intimate friends and relatives. The Rev. William Grother, pastor of the German Lutheran church, pronounced the ceremony.

The bride was prettily gowned in white net over white silk. There were no attendants. The house was attractively decorated throughout with spring flowers and plants. Immediately after the ceremony an elaborate dinner was served. The table decorations were a color-motif of pink and white. The bride's cake was a pyramid iced in pink and white and decorated with cupid. It made an effective centerpiece.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruoff will leave at 6 o'clock this evening for a southern bridal trip. They will make their home in Princeton. The bride's going-away gown is a tan cloth tailored suit, with hat to harmonize.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steven T. Bennett, of Princeton, and is an attractive young woman. The bridegroom is a popular young business man of Princeton. He is a brother of Mr. William Ruoff, of this city.

Judge D. G. Park left this morning for Louisville on Legal business.

Mr. A. L. Simon, of Princeton, returned today after a business trip to this city.

Miss Frances Luther, of Mayfield, is visiting in the city this afternoon.

Mr. A. D. Clark went to Eddyville today on business.

Mr. Felix Lewis, of Memphis, arrived in the city today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Outlar, 1201 Monroe street, have returned from St. Louis.

Master Aubrey Meacham, the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Meacham, 610 North Sixth street, is ill of bronchitis.

Dr. P. Gardner, of the Illinois Central hospital, has returned from a visit to relatives at Morgantown.

Miss Josephine Cain, of St. Louis, will return to her home tomorrow after a visit to Mrs. R. D. MacMillen and Miss Sadie Paxton.

The Rev. M. E. Dodd returned last night from Nashville after a trip of 3 days.

Mr. W. R. Davis is recuperating from an attack of malaria.

Mr. Charles Seamon will leave tonight for Hot Springs to recuperate from his recent illness.

Mr. W. Wilson, traveling boiler inspector of the Illinois Central, was in the city today.

Mr. Herbert Martin left this morning for Ballard county on business.

Mrs. R. D. MacMillen and little son Frank, will leave tomorrow for St. Louis on a visit to Mrs. MacMillen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dekins, 429 Adams street, returned last night from Nashville.

CATARH CURED.

No Cure, No Pay, is a Most Generous Offer.

To get an antiseptic strong enough to kill catarrh germs and not destroy the tissues of the membrane at the same time, has been a problem which was never solved until the discovery of Hyomei (pronounced High-o-mey).

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Then why should any catarrh sufferer hesitate, when Gilbert's drug store has such faith in Hyomei that they offer to return your money if after a fair trial Hyomei does not cure catarrh.

A complete Hyomei outfit, including the inhaler, costs \$1.00 and extra bottles, if afterwards needed, cost but 50 cents. Hyomei also cures asthma, croup, sore throat, coughs, colds or grip.

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Cures Dyspepsia.
Your money back if it don't. Gives immediate relief from heartburn, sour stomach, stomach distress and sick headache. 50 cents a large box at

GILBERT'S DRUG STORE.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Katterjohn returned last night from Cedar Bluff.

Mrs. E. S. Kahn, of Cairo, is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. Harris.

Miss Willmetta James left today for Mt. Vernon, Ind., to visit her sister, Mrs. B. C. Wilcox.

Miss Lottie Schoff, of St. Louis, is visiting Mrs. Ed West of 1300 Jefferson street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wyatt, of 617 Fountain avenue, have returned home after spending several weeks with relatives in Ballard county.

Mrs. Paul Jones and little daughter, Marguerite, 1037 Monroe street, have gone to Harrisburg, Ill., to visit Mrs. Jones' sister, Mrs. Charles Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. James Coulson, of Reidland, are the proud parents of a fine nine-pound baby boy born yesterday.

Mrs. Hettie Boaz Ellis is visiting the families of T. D. Boaz and A. C. Plamlee at Mayfield.

Mr. John Petty, 1921 Clay street, returned last night from Nashville, after attending the funeral and burial of his sister.

TOLEDO HAS KIDNAPING.

Flint, Mich., Citizens Offer \$1,300 for Boy's Safe Return.

Toledo, O., March 24.—Toledo police are searching the city for Harold Moon, aged ten years, who was kidnaped from his home at Flint, Mich., on February 27. Flint citizens have offered a reward of \$1,300 for the boy's safe return. In this case no ransom has been demanded.

Canada's Immigration Half Less.
Ottawa, Ont., March 24.—The total immigration into Canada for the eleven months of the present fiscal year up to the end of February was 130,444, as compared with 247,056 for the same period in 1907-08, a decrease of 47 per cent.

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They're all correct except their price—that's lower.

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FUGITIVE NEAR NEW YORK.

Man Charged With Attempting Bribery Expected to Land.

Marion, Ind., March 24.—O. A. Baker, who has been a fugitive since the legislature of 1905, when he was accused of attempting to bribe the representative, Ananias Baker, to vote against the Parks anti-cigarette bill, will reach New York from Europe Wednesday or Thursday.

Probi Bill Killed in Minnesota.

St. Paul, Minn., March 24.—In the house of representatives today the Loebeck bill, prohibiting the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors in this state was killed by the adoption of an adverse report. The anti-treating bill was also killed in the same manner, the vote being 40 to 59.

New Steamboat Company Formed.

Nashville, Tenn., March 24.—Papers of incorporation today this morning taken out by the Cumberland River Steamboat company, with the following named incorporators: W. W. Darmlinger, Robert Rhea, W. J. Harley, W. H. Harley and Charles T. Williams.

It is understood that the company purposes to operate a line of steamboats for the regular river traffic, to transport both passengers and freight. The capital stock of the company is placed at \$20,000.

Two Men Acted Strangely.

Two men, who acted in a suspicious manner, were seen prowling about Seventh and Jackson streets last night about 11:30 o'clock. Residents in that vicinity spied the men, and after watching their movements decided they were not there for any good. A telephone call was sent to the police station, and a squad of blue coats went to the corner in a hurry. Evidently the men received a tip that the cops were after them as they departed before the police arrived.

Loose Leaf Sales.

Tobacco sales at Bohmer's loose leaf warehouse this morning were 25,000 pounds. The prices ranged from \$3.50 to \$9.50. Today's market had a downward tendency and was not as good as usual. There were no rejections. Several new buyers were present. They were Thomas Hodge, of Henderson; R. E. O'Flynn, of Owensboro, and Henry Anderson, of Louisville.

The Knights Templar.

At its meeting last night Paducah commandery voted to accept invitations to attend Easter Sunday services at the First Christian church and on Ascension Sunday services at the Episcopal church. The Knights will attend in a body and the Templar services will be used in both churches. The annual inspection of the commandery will be made on Tuesday, April 13, by Joseph H. Ewalt, of Paris.

Choice Roses.

If you want choice home-grown roses at \$1 per dozen you can get them at Brunson, 529 Broadway.

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Read a metropolitan newspaper and keep thoroughly posted. Any of the following delivered to your door each day: Chicago—Tribune, Record-Herald, Examiner. St. Louis—Republic, Globe-Democrat, Post-Dispatch. Louisville—Courier-Journal, Times. Memphis—Commercial-Appeal, News-Scimitar. Nashville—Tennessean, American.

JOHN WILHELM.
Local Circulator.
116 S. Fifth. New phone 1346.

—Mr. Albert Holt, of 922 Twelfth street, who is employed in the bottle works of the Paducah Brewing company, cut his left hand on a bottle and put a bandage saturated with turpentine on the wound and lit his pipe. The bandage caught fire and his wrist and hand were burned. Dr. J. D. Robertson attended him.

ICE! ICE!
Phone 154 for summer prices on ice.

—There will be a called meeting of Esther chapter on Thursday night, April 1. Prof. W. H. Bartholomew, of Louisville, grand patron, will be present. Visitors are expected from Grand Rivers, Calvert City, Melber, Murray, Brookport and Benton.

—The Mite society of the German Evangelical church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Henry Mammen, 416 South Fifth street.

WANT ADS.

Subscribers inserting want ads in The Sun will kindly remember that all such items are to be paid for when the ad. is inserted, the rule applying to everyone without exception.

BOY WANTED—311 1/2 Broadway.

FIVE room house for rent. New phone 641.

LEASE for sale or share rent. Fine garden spot. Old phone 2950.

WANTED—You to know that you can save money on Spring Hats at M. B. Rogers, 1203 Broadway.

BLACK MINORCA EGGS for sale. L. E. Theobald. Old phone 1427. \$1.00 per setting.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms 410 South Third. Old phone 1214-a.

Now Just Look at Hart

Hart's prices way down yonder---the stock must move. Hurry for your share of the sale savings. Cash counts big at Hart's for you.

\$1.25 Curtain stretchers	85c	10c Flue Stops	5c
\$2 Curtain stretchers	\$1.65	25c Rakes	16c
Ironing Stands	90c	35c Rakes	22c
35c Biscuit Boards	25c	50c Laundry Basket	40c
40c Biscuit Boards	30c	40c Laundry Basket	30c
75c Ironing Boards	60c	25c Chair Seats	10c
30 Clothes Pins	3c	15c Solid-Back Scrub	
25c Water Pails	18c	Brushes	10c
35c Water Pails	25c	75c Ceiling Brushes	50c

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I HAVE a fine Jersey bull to stand; \$1.00. A. Legeay, old phone 1746.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 332 North Sixth.

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house keeping. 313 Madison.

FOR RENT—Five room house, 1032 Monroe. Apply F. M. Fisher.

FOR SALE—Remington typewriter. Apply at Grand Leader.

HALF OF STORE for rent with M. Solomon, 522 Broadway.

WANTED—Boards; large rooms. Homelike. 419 South Third.

WANTED—2 unfurnished rooms at once. New phone 1480.

WANTED—Two ladies to solicit. Apply 307 Kentucky avenue.

THREE rooms wanted. Old phone 2950.

SHAMPOOING, scalp treating, manuring. Old phone 711.

WANTED—About 35 feet iron fencing with gate. New phone 1648.

MIRROR PLATING, furniture repaired. New phone 1496.

HAIR GOODS made to order. Louvenia Miller. Old phone 374-a.

WANTED—Second-hand invalid rolling chair. 725 Madison. Old phone 925.

POSITION WANTED—By cook in boarding house or private family. Apply 122 South Eleventh.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished front rooms. Apply 415 Kentucky avenue.

MONEY FOUND—Telephone old phone 241. Recovering, repairing umbrellas. J. R. Robinson, 217 S. 7th.

FOR RENT—One 4 room house, newly painted. 1253 Kentucky Ave. Old phone, 65-a.

J. E. MORGAN—Horse shoeing, general repairing, rubber tires. 408 South Third street.

WANTED—Packing, moving and hauling, call old Phone 705. Geo. M. Rock.

FOR RENT—The hotel at Nortonville. Apply to F. M. Fisher for information.

HAIR work, shampooing and dyeing. Lillian Robinson, old phone 2114.

STENOGRAPHERS for the Oliver typewriter can be secured at Draughon's Practical Business College.

FOR RENT—One large room nicely furnished. Centrally located. All modern conveniences. Address M. H. care Sun.

YOUR LACE curtains need cleaning. You will make no mistake in sending them to the Star Laundry. Phone 200.

WANTED—You to visit our remodeling sale. Bargains in every line. Eye See Jewelry Co., incorporated, 315 Broadway.

WANTED—You to get our proposition. We sell diamonds on easy payments. Eye See Jewelry Co., 315 Broadway.

GOOD SIX FOOT SAFE for sale cheap. The one formerly used by the Register. See E. J. Paxton at The Sun office.

PRESSING CLUB membership \$1 per month. Clothes called for and delivered. Jas. Duffey. Old phone 338-a.

BARGAIN—Gentleman having unexpired lease on five-room, second-story flat, 1616 Broadway, will sublet all September 1 at a substantial reduction. Old phone 61.

WANTED—Assistant bookkeeper, who can take dictation. Central graduate preferred. Enclose references and state salary expected. None but thoroughly competent will be considered. Address M. G., this office.

FOR RENT—Office room under New Richmond hotel, now occupied by Webb-Phillips & Co. Equipped with bank fixtures and vault. Sanitary plumbing. J. A. Rudy & Sons.

FOR SALE—Six counters 12 feet long, 24 inches wide, also six oak counters, with plate-glass show cases, 8 feet long, 27 inches wide. Will sell separately or cheap in whole lot. Address H. care Sun.

SALESMEN WANTED—Half million manufacturing corporation desires high grade representative for Paducah and vicinity. Must have knowledge of lithography and furnish best reference. One having own office and telephone preferred. Address K., care this office.

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And many other painful and distressing ailments from which most mothers suffer, can be avoided by using **MOTHER'S FRIEND**. This remedy is a God-send to expectant mothers, carrying them through the critical ordeal with safety. No woman who uses **MOTHER'S FRIEND** need fear the suffering incident to birth; for it robs the ordeal of its dread and insures safety to life of mother and child, leaving her in a condition more favorable to speedy recovery. The child is also healthy, strong and good natured. Our book containing valuable information will be sent free by writing to **BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO.** Atlanta, Ga.



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Fresh Strawberry Cream
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Juicy, full-ripe fruits, ripened on tree and vine, are now being shown at their best here. Big, sound Naval Oranges, heavy with juice, choice Smyrna Figs, selected hand-picked Apples from Oregon and Idaho—in short, all that is luscious and tempting.

Stop here on your way to market in the morning and see if the sight doesn't make your mouth water.

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CARAMELS
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This is to introduce those delicious Chocolate Nut Caramels of ours, 25c for a 40c pound of pure, melting sweetness, with a flavor which will surely delight you.

Try the Chocolate Nut; it's great.

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ALMOST TOUCHED THE SOUTH POLE

English Naval Officer Returns After Trip.

Not a Life Lost, and Point Reached Was 111 Miles From Pole, Being 82.23 Degrees South.

SOME IMPORTANT DISCOVERIES

London, March 24.—Lieutenant E. H. Shackleton, of the British navy, commander of the Antarctic expedition which returned on the barkentine Nimrod to Invercargill, New Zealand, although he did not achieve his object, succeeded in getting within 111 miles of the pole.

The Nimrod expedition left England in July of 1907 and after reaching the ice fields and making the most elaborate preparations, the main expedition started on a sledge journey which occupied 126 days and traversed 178 miles southwards. The explorers reached a latitude of 88.23 degrees and longitude 162 degrees east, which was estimated as 111 miles from the pole.

At the point where the expedition was compelled to turn back the land was 9,000 feet in altitude, trending southward in vast fields of snow, no mountains being in sight.

A second party pushed forward to the southern magnetic pole at latitude 72.25, longitude 154 east. The British flag was left flying at both points.

The ascent of Mount Erebus was accomplished with difficulty, and geological discoveries of great importance were made. The results attained have thrown much light on parts of the history of the Antarctic continent. The expedition suffered no loss of life.

The expedition reached a point 354 miles nearer the pole than that attained by the discovery expedition of which Lieutenant Shackleton was an officer. The main overland expedition commanded by Shackleton left Cape Boyd October 29, 1908, and traveled over rough ice and mountains of snow for days at a time.

On December 2 they discovered a glacier 120 miles long and probably 40 miles wide. An entire day was required to get 600 yards up the glacier, the danger from crevasses being so great.

On December 8 new mountain ranges were discovered, and 10 days later the party reached an altitude of 6,800 feet. Continuing their ascent toward the close of the year they reached an altitude of 10,500 feet. The tramp was continued until January 9, when the party started on the return trip.

Because of the snow having been blown from the ice, the descent of the glacier was extremely hazardous. Sickness attacked the party and by February 4 all were prostrated with dysentery. At the end of a week the journey was resumed and on January 13 they reached Chinaman station. Food was scarce, but discarding everything else except camp outfit and geological specimens, and despite the raging blizzard and 50 degrees below, they tramped on. The next depot was reached February 26, and



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Miserable is the man or woman who suffers from dread Indigestion or Dyspepsia. There are few diseases which create such misery, long drawn-out suffering, as Indigestion. It pursues them before meals, after meals and between meals; they take it to bed with them. It is with them wherever they go, though Indigestion is the simplest disease of all to cure.

Tell such afflicted ones, dear reader, of **Pape's Diapiesin**; urge the sufferer to go to any Pharmacist, here and give 50 cents for a case. Such a sufferer would ever bless you, because five minutes after taking there would be no more indigestion, no feeling like slump or lead in the stomach, or heartburn, or fullness and discomfort or belching of Gases or Eructations of sour food. Debilitating Headache, Nausea, Water Brash and other symptoms of a sour, disordered stomach.

Pape's Diapiesin will digest anything you eat without the aid of the stomach.

Diapiesin is a wonderful Stomach purifier and splendid to keep the intestines clean and fresh; then your food will not ferment and poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Diapiesin will rest the stomach and increase the gastric juices; this is what is mostly needed—more and better digestive juices—and no Gas—then indigestion and all stomach trouble will go.

Each 50-cent case contains sufficient to usually thoroughly cure the most chronic dyspeptic.

In a few days they were in sight of the depot at Minna bluff. The news of the ship was reached and by a forced march they reached the channel March 3.

They discovered eight distinct mountain ranges and more than 100 mountains. They surveyed and photographed many glaciers and signs of former great glaciers. The south pole is planted on a plateau 10,000 feet above the sea level. The mountain altitudes range from 3,000 to 12,000 feet. The great blizzards in the latitude 88 indicate that if there is a polar calm it must be in a small area not coincident with the geographical survey.

UP TO SENATORS

TAFT WILL RELY ON THEIR OPINIONS IN SOUTH.

Holds Long Interview With South Carolina Man, But Hitchcock Has Last Say.

Washington, March 24.—There is further indication at the white house that President Taft, in making federal appointments in the south, intends to consult as far as possible the wishes of the senators from the states in which the offices are to be filled. In pursuance of this policy he had a lengthy interview with Senator Edley D. Smith, of South Carolina, and it was said he also would consult with Senator Tillman regarding South Carolina offices.

Mr. Taft also has notified Senator Bailey that his wishes would be consulted along with those of his colleagues regarding Texas appointments. The same rule, it is declared, will apply to all the southern states.

Postmaster General Hitchcock, who as chairman of the Republican national committee became thoroughly conversant with the southern Republican situation, probably will have, however, the last word to say regarding most of the southern appointments.

NOTED RUSSIAN PRINCE DIES AT ST. PETERSBURG.

St. Petersburg, March 24.—Prince Michael Hilko (Hilko), a member of the council of the empire and formerly minister of communications died suddenly. He was present at the inaugural meeting of the Russo-British chamber of commerce when he fainted. The prince was removed to his residence, but did not regain consciousness. Prince Hilko was well known in the United States, where he secured his railway training. To him belongs the credit of getting the maximum amount of work out of the Siberian railway during the war in Manchuria.

A Cure for Misery.
"I have found a cure for the misery malaria poison produces," says R. M. James, of Louisville, S. C. "It's called Electric Bitters, and comes in 50 cent bottles. It breaks up a case of chills or a bilious attack in almost no time; and it puts yellow jaundice clean out of commission." This great tonic medicine and blood purifier gives quick relief in all stomach, liver and kidney complaints and the misery of same back. Sold under guarantee at all druggists.

A prominent manufacturer of glass fruit admits that the cherries of California are at least as good in quality as the French varieties.

LOST AERONAUTS SAFE AND SOUND

Men Who Ascended at Pasadena Within Ten Miles.

Balloon Was Up Less Than Two Hours, but Three Mountain Ranges Were Crossed.

BATTLE WITH THE BLIZZARD.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 24.—After one of the most harrowing experiences in the history of ballooning, Capt. Mueller and five companions who ascended in the Ferris racing balloon "America" at Pasadena, Saturday afternoon, and became lost in the Sierra Madre mountains, arrived on foot at Switzer's camp, on the slopes of Mount Wilson, unharmed.

The balloon was in the air less than two hours. It was carried by the strong north wind over a mile high near the summit of Mount Lowe, and swept on across the intervening peaks and canyons to the lofty summit of Mount Gabriel. Here the ballast was thrown out and the balloon soared away toward Strawberry peak, on the third range.

Crossing this at a low altitude the balloon encountered a strong current of air which brought it rapidly to the earth. A successful landing was effected on the north side of Strawberry peak in what is known as Little Tijuana canyon, five o'clock Saturday afternoon, less than two hours after the ascent at Pasadena. The distance covered was less than 15 miles in a direct line, but by any possible foot route many times that distance.

The aeronauts wandered aimlessly over the mountains until 1:30 Sunday afternoon, when they unexpectedly came to Colby's ranch, an isolated habitation far from any road and without communication with the outside world. In the meantime a terrific blizzard had swept over the mountains and for hours the men suffered from cold.

At the ranch the party remained until Monday afternoon when the storm ceased. They immediately took up the snow-choked trails across the mountains toward Pasadena. The party traveled through Monday night and until this afternoon when they suddenly came upon Switzer's camp, on the side of the mountain ten miles from Pasadena. A party of rescuers on horseback were at Switzer's, having just returned from a 24 hour search for the missing men.

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Cincinnati, Ohio.—Mrs. E. H. Maddocks, 235 Gilbert Avenue.
Mogadore, Ohio.—Mrs. Leo Manges, Box 131.
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Johnstown, N.Y.—Mrs. Homer N. Seaman, 138 E. Main Street.
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Organic Displacements.
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Lawson, Maine.—Mrs. Henry Cloutier, 56 Oxford Street.
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Female Weakness.
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Graniteville, Vt.—Mrs. Chas. Barclay, R.F.D.

These women are only a few of thousands of living witnesses of the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to cure female diseases. Not one of these women ever received compensation in any form for the use of their names in this advertisement—but are willing that we should refer to them because of the good they may do other suffering women to prove that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a reliable and honest medicine, and that the statements made in our advertisements regarding its merit are the truth and nothing but the truth.

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No bids will be considered if the prices set out in them be greater than the maximum prices for such books fixed by sub-section 2 of said section. Namely:

For Spelling, 12 cents.
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For Physiology and Hygiene, 90 cents.
For Civil Government, 45 cents.
For United States History, \$1.10.
For History of Kentucky, 65 cents.

All bids must also set out the price at which such proposed books will be furnished to the people of the commonwealth in exchange for old books of same subject and like grade in use in the public schools, said price to be in conformity with the provisions of sub-section 2 of said section. All bids must be accompanied by a sufficient number of sample copies of each book submitted to supply the State School Book Commission and to furnish one copy to each County School Book Commission.

All bids must be accompanied by a good and sufficient affidavit as provided in sub-section 13 and 14 of this section that the bidder has not violated said sections by contributing to the campaign fund of any political party or any candidate for office or for the nomination for an office, state or county, in Kentucky.

All bids must comply with the conditions set out above and with all other provisions of said section.

Copies of section 4421a, Kentucky Statutes, providing for uniform text books, can be secured from the Superintendent of Public Instruction, Frankfort, Ky.

Said section 4421a, Kentucky Statutes referred to is made a part of this advertisement and the terms and conditions therein prescribed are referred to and made a part of this advertisement.

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Notice to Gravel Contractors.

Bids will be received by the Board of Public Works at their office in the city hall on Tuesday, April 6, 1909, at 3 o'clock p. m., for furnishing the city of Paducah gravel for repaving work during the year 1909, to be delivered where ordered by the street inspector. Bids will be submitted for delivery north and south of Kentucky avenue.

Bids will also be received at the same time for furnishing gravel per cubic yard, in car load lots, delivered F. O. B. Paducah, for street construction and repair work, quality subject to approval of the Board of Public Works, to be delivered by the I. C. and N. C. & St. L. railroads.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.
By L. F. Kolb, Secretary.

L. A. Washington, City Engineer.

Notice to Painters and Contractors.

Bids will be received by the Board of Public Works at their office in the city hall, on Tuesday, April 6th, 1909, at 3 o'clock p. m., for cleaning the brick work on the exterior of the market house building; and also for painting all the wood work and metal work on the exterior of the market house building, the work to be done under the inspection and supervision of the market master.

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(Continued from last issue.)

CHAPTER XXVI.

THE BATTLES OF WASHINGTON.

At twenty minutes after 12 Senator Langdon and Secretary Haines were still undisturbed by any move on the part of Peabody and Stevens, who maintained a silence that to Haines was distinctly ominous. His experience at the capitol had taught him that when the senate machine was quiet it was time for some one to get out from under.

Miss Williams, the naval committee's stenographer, entered.

"Senator Langdon," she said, "Senator Peabody and Senator Stevens are in committee room 6, and they told me to tell you that they'd be— I can't say it. Please, sir, I—"

"D—d," interpolated Langdon, laughing.

"Yes, sir, that's it. They're—that—if they come in here at 12:30. You must come to them, they say."

"Tell the gentlemen I'm sitting here with my hat on the back of my head smoking a good sea-gar."

"Nails driven through both shoes into the floor—and looking at the clock."

"I came to warn you, Langdon," he said, "that Senator Peabody's patience is nearly exhausted. You must come to see him at once if you expect the south to get a naval base at Altacoola or anywhere else. If you do not agree to take his advice this naval bill and any other that you are interested in now or in future will be trampled underfoot in the senate. Mississippi will have no use for a senator who cannot produce results in Washington, and that will prove the bitterest lesson you have ever learned."

"I'm waiting for Peabody here, Stevens."

"Oh, ridiculous! Of course he's not coming. Why, Langdon, he's the king of the senate. He has the biggest men of the country at his call. He's—"

"He's got one minute left," observed Langdon, looking at the clock, "but he'll come. I trust Peabody more than the best clock made at a time like this when—"

The figure of the senior senator from Pennsylvania appeared in the doorway.

"Good day, Senator Langdon," he remarked idly.

"Same to you. Have a sea-gar, senator," said Langdon. He turned and winked significantly at Haines.

The three senators seated themselves. "I suppose you wouldn't consider yourself so important, Langdon, if you knew that we now find we can get another member of the naval affairs committee over to our side for Altacoola," began Peabody. "That gives us a majority of the committee without your vote."

"That wouldn't prevent me from making a minority report for Gulf City and explaining why I missed that report, would it?" the Mississippiian asked blandly.

Peabody and Stevens both knew that it wouldn't. Stevens exchanged glances with "the boss of the senate" and in low voice began making to Langdon a proposition to which Peabody's assent had been gained.

"Langdon, we would like to be alone," he nodded toward Haines.

"Sorry can't oblige, senator," Langdon replied. "Bud and I together make up the senator from Mississippi."

"All right. What I want to say is this: The president is appointing a commission to investigate the condition of the unemployed. The members are to go to Europe, five or six countries, and look into conditions there, leisurly, of course, so as to formulate a piece of legislation that will solve the existing problems in this country. A most generous expense account will be allowed by the government. A member can take his family. A son, for instance, could act as financial secretary under liberal pay."

"I've heard of that commission," said Langdon.

"Well, Senator Peabody has the naming of two senators who will go on that commission, and I suggested that your character and ability would make you—"

"Good glory," exclaimed Langdon, "you mean that my character and ability would make me something or other if I kept my mouth shut in the senate this afternoon! Stevens, I've been surprised so many times since I came to the capital that it doesn't affect me any more. I'm just amused at your offer or Senator Peabody's."

"I want to tell you two senators that there's only one thing that I want in Washington—and you haven't offered it to me yet. When you do I'll do business with you."

"What's that? Speak out, man!" said Peabody quickly.

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"Good Lord!" exclaimed "the boss of the senate." "Is this Washington or is it heaven?"

"It is not heaven, senator," put in Haines.

"Man alive," cried Peabody, "I've been in Washington so long that—"

"So long you've forgotten that the American people really exist," retorted Langdon, "and there are more like you in the senate, all because the voters have no chance to choose their own senators. The public in most states has to take the kind of a senator that the legislature, made up mostly of politicians, feels like making them take. You, Peabody, wouldn't be in the senate today if the voters had anything to say about it."

The Pennsylvanian shrugged his shoulders.

"And now I'll tell you honorable senators," went on Langdon, thoroughly aroused, "something to surprise you. I have discovered that you were not working for yourselves alone in the Altacoola deal, but that you intend to turn your land over to the Standard Steel company at a big profit as soon as this naval base bill is passed. Then that company will squeeze the government for the best part of the hundred millions that are to be spent."

The senator sank back in his chair and gazed at his two opponents.

Those two statesmen jumped to their feet.

"Come, Stevens, let him do what he will. We cannot stay here to be insulted by the ravings of a madman," cried the Pennsylvanian. But he brought his associate to a standstill midway to the door. "By the way, Langdon, what is it you are going to do in the senate this afternoon?" he asked. "You said you were going to make us honest against our will. You know you can't do anything."

(To be continued in next issue.)

Rank Foolishness.

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Teams in the city basketball league were bunched last night by the two games, in which the High school defeated the Elks by a score of 18 to 11, while the Light and Power team won from the Knights of Columbus by a score of 14 to 6. Both games were hard fought and were interesting. The close of the season has brought out some hard playing and each team has the ambition to close the season as high on the ladder as possible. The game last night leaves the Chess, Checker and Whist club an undisputed leadership, while the Elks and D. A. D. teams are tied, with the High school a few paces behind. A majority of the teams have played eleven games.

The game started last night between the High school and the Elks and at the end of the first half the score was 9 to 9 in favor of High school, but the Elks got busy in the second half, and by harder playing made 11 points while the High school added nine. Good team work was shown by both teams. The second game was rough and many of the players did not know the fine points of the game and there was a general lack of team work.

The teams lined up: Elks—Goodman, center; Sutton, Englert and Hatfield, forwards; Henneberger and Warren, guards. High school—King, center; Evans and Browning, forwards; Sims and Terrell, guards. Light and Power—Lamb, center; Englert and Hatfield, forwards; Simpson and Rayburn, guards. K. C.—Donnigan, center; Mulvin and W. Fisher, forwards; Donovan and Trantham, guards. Referee, Lydon; umpire, St. John; timekeeper, Davis; scorekeeper, Robertson.

ESCAPE

WAS NARROW FROM DEATH BY DROWNING.

Pierce Lackey, Son of Alderman Ernest Lackey, Falls in the River While Boating.

While out boat riding in the Tennessee river, Pierce Lackey, ten-year-old son of Alderman and Mrs. Ernest Lackey, 547 South Fourth street, narrowly escaped drowning yesterday afternoon when he was "rescued" by Clyde Mitchell as Lackey went under for the third time. Lackey was unconscious, but was soon revived, and aside from the nervous shock was no worse off for his experience.

Boating has been a great sport with the lads of the neighborhood, but the Lackey boy had been warned by his mother not to go near the water. The temptation proved too strong yesterday afternoon after the dismissal of school, and Lackey went to the river where he met Clyde Mitchell, 14 years old, sons of A. C. Mitchell, 516 years old, sons of A. C. Mitchell, 516 South Third street.

In a frail boat the boys paddled about on the shore of the river. While Lackey was standing in the boat the craft struck another boat and the lad pitched headfirst into twenty feet of water. Lackey cried for help, but the boat drifted away from the drowning boy, and only after quick and hard work did the Mitchell lads bring the boat near the drowning boy. A firm hold was secured on Lackey as he was disappearing for the third time.

IN METROPOLIS

Mrs. George Walbright visited in Paducah Thursday.

William Kraper and Arthur Moreland spent Wednesday in Paducah.

William Kraper gave a dance at Fritts hall Wednesday night to a few friends. A band from Paducah furnished the music.

Eugene Brady has returned from a trip in Oklahoma. He was snow bound 26 hours.

Clarence Virgin is critically ill with throat trouble. Little hope of his recovery is entertained.

Miss Ollie Matthews, of Raleigh, Ill., is visiting her brother, W. H. Matthews.

Dr. Fisher, of Brookport, was shaking hands with his many friends here Wednesday.

Ed Benjamin is away this week in the interest of his iron fence factory.

Lewis Henne has moved back to Metropolis from his farm near New Columbia.

Deputy Sheriff Miller has gone to New Mexico.

Miss Mabel Southerland has returned to her home at Marion, after a few days' visit with A. U. Southerland.

Theodore Barrett is in Harrisburg this week on business.

J. T. Rentfro transacted business in Paducah Wednesday.

The dwelling house at Seventh and Pearl streets that was wrecked by the storm a few nights ago, is being repaired. One side of brick work had to be replaced.

James Elliott has been appointed to assess Metropolis this spring.

Mrs. Sam Well returned Monday from a visit to her daughter at Paducah.

Miss Verna Brooks, of Reevesville, visited her sister, Mrs. Bratton, over Sunday.

Uncle Sam Wells has returned from Indianapolis, where he went to attend the funeral of his brother.

Sam Sperry, who for three years has been in the regular army, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sperry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ames spent Sunday in Brookport with friends.

Arthur Crider, who was formerly assistant postmaster here, but who

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now resides at Boaz, attended to business here this week.

Kirk Heaster, who for the last three years served in the regular army at Seattle, has gone to St. Louis to re-enlist.

The Royal moving picture show opened for business Friday night on upper Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Seiback have returned from Martinsville, Ind. Roy Helm, who is attending a law school, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Helm.

Fred Fisher, who for several years has been out west, is visiting his father, James Fisher.

The Misses Bessie and Grace Heaster are visiting their father, Samuel Heaster.

CURRY RESIGNS

NEW MEXICO EXECUTIVE WIRE HE HAS QUIT.

Assaulted a Democratic Editor in the Capitol—Charges Set On Foot.

Santa Fe, New Mexico, March 24.—Governor George Curry telegraphed to President Taft his resignation as governor of New Mexico.

Governor Curry stated that although he had contemplated taking this action for several months past, the immediate cause was that he had requested a leave of absence to go to Washington to talk with President Taft and the secretary of the interior on matters of great importance to New Mexico, not appearing to

stated, but that Secretary of the Interior Ballinger had answered that he should take up the business by letter.

Assaulted Editor.

Denver, Col., March 24.—A special to the Post from Santa Fe, N. M., says:

Last Saturday Governor Curry assaulted A. J. Loomis, editor of the Eagle, a Democratic weekly paper, in his private office at the capitol. Mr. Loomis last week printed an article on statehood and the statehood lobby, which Governor Curry considered a reflection upon him. The governor immediately telephoned Mr. Loomis to call upon him, and when the latter put in an appearance, Governor Curry, according to report, punched him and then threw him from the office. Loomis and his friends at once started a movement to have Governor Curry removed from office and charges were being prepared against the governor to be forwarded to President Taft and Secretary of the Interior Ballinger.

Resignation Received.

Washington, March 24.—The telegraphic resignation of Governor Curry, of New Mexico, was received at the white house today, and it was stated would be called to the attention of President Taft.

KILLED CONVICT AT BRINKLEY.

Two Were Trying to Make Their Escape—Another Injured.

Brinkley, Ark., March 24.—One state convict was killed and another badly injured while attempting to escape at Brinkley yesterday afternoon. Following the shooting of the convicts a number of citizens of Brinkley, termed the "riff raff" by Mayor Jackson, threatened the two guards who did the shooting with mob violence, but Mayor Jackson and more prominent citizens soon checked the talk. Mayor Jackson ordered the marshal to arrest any citizen loitering around the convict camp.

The convict killed was Frank Williams, sentenced to five years, whose home is in Duluth, Minn., where his mother, Mrs. W. Goldstein, and sister, Mrs. D. C. Crozier, reside. George Perkins, a one-year convict of Fayetteville, Ark., who tried to escape with Williams, was shot in the back and side. Perkins and the body of Williams will be sent to Little Rock.

Schedule of Examinations.

A regular schedule of examinations, similar in every respect to the plan for the semester examinations, has been adopted in the High school. The program is made out and the students can tell exactly what period and on what day they will have each examination. Before this has been left entirely with the teacher, who selected any day or hour. By the old method the monthly tests occupied a week, while by the new method it is possible to finish the tests in two days.

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